MICHIGAN VETERANS.

The Michigan Encampment, U. V. U., in session at Jackson, adopted the fol-

lowing resolutions:

EN ROUTE TO MANILA.

Experiences of a Paymaster's Clerk on the Way to the Philippines.

En Route for Manila, Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 28.

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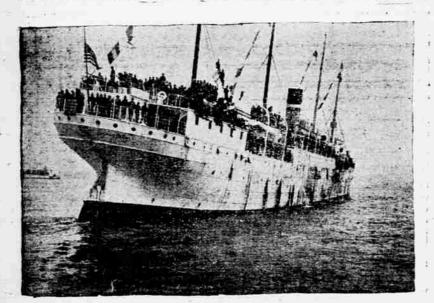
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Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 28.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: It is now 10 days since an order was issued by the War Department, detailing four clerks, Messrs Kirk, Cuneo, Vidor and Swan, of the Paymaster-General's Office, to go to Manila for the purpose of relieving and reinforcing the clerks employed by the Paymasters at that post; to this number, Mr. Hissong was subsequently added. Our immediate orders were to report to the Chief Paymaster at San Francisco for instructions.

Taking the advice of those who have been there, the party procured suitable clothing, flannel pajamas—though in one instance making the mistake of getting silk instead—shoes of strong white canvas, and in cases complete suits of snow-white tweed



OFF FOR MANILA ON THE SHERMAN.

with hats to match, though I was assured personally that it cost less trouble and expense to procure outer garments at Manila. Two of the party possessed kodaks with the sume district, placer mining has been maken to capture any scenes or characters of the precious metal is also found in other the sume district. which to capture any scenes or characters of interest; and at least two have guns concealed somewhere about their belongings with which to repel attacks in case they find kodaks or other weapons leveled at them. One camera has so far been very active and if anything escaped it between Chicago and Ogden it must have been due to darkness or previous notification; though to the number of pretty girls on the owing to the number of pretty girls on the train the films gave out before we reached Utah's Capital, so we were unable to secure the crowd pouring out of the Moranen Tabernacle. We were lucky enough, however, to get into the structure, filled with some 8,000 people, in time to hear the singing of the last anthem.

En Route to Manila, San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 2, 1899. After many and varied experiences our company of clerks, now increased to six in

"Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Naturally we have caught all comments made by people thus far encountered, on life in the Philippines, and they have varied greatly. Mr. Stout, who has perhaps seen the longest service of any clerk in the Pay Department, said he would prefer to go anywhere else. Those who have seen active service there, for the most part, speaking the same process by digging pits from 25 to 50 feet deep and wasning the dirt at the bottom. As to quariz mining, the native method is to crash the rock by hand or between rollers, buffelo power being the usual motor for this purpose, and then wash out and collect such of the yellow particles as may be percential.

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Headquarters Department of California. San Francisco, Cal., December 1, 1899. Extract.

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our party was fortunate in securing efficient guides and also as to the occasion of their visit, it being the evening of an annual banquet at one of the tea-houses where middle-class Chinese of both sexes at such times assemble.

We had already visited the Chinese bazaars, purchased fans at Sing, Fat & Co.'s, compasses of Chun Lung Kaw, and other curios of Ah Moro; had explored the Josh House of the Ning Young Association at 25 Waverly Place, and severally bought the usual quantity of incense—burning punk; had been through an extensive opium joint, seen an ancient cue-bearer, nearly 39 years of age, and who never leaves his conch, hit the pipe with 'the continuous "long-draw"; had seen the opium-nourished cat and watched from a proper distance the repellant exhibitions of a leper, had seen the sights and smelt the smells of the Chinese the sights and smelt the smells of the Chinese omparatively sumptuous apartments and listen to a conversation, unintelligible but brisk in gesture and snappy in sound. The guides understood the language to some extent, and it appeared that two themse of more than usual interest were of a large number of Chinamen with their families and chattles by the Pacific Mail liner—more returning to China the present with their Agostolic Delegate to Cuta, Porto Rico and the Philippine Islands, who goes out to look after his charge at that port.

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At the sexes never eat at the same time together, the men on this occasion were flourishing their chop-sticks at the table, while the table table their chop-sticks at the table, while table table table. while their female companions, who had either dined or had that pleasure in antici-ation, were scated in the rear of their masuline sponsors chatting vivaciously, th entrance of our party seeming to have little or no effect upon them.

A more tragic theme of conversation ap-

pears to have been that a number of promi-nent merchants, wembers of the Kow Chow Society, had been scheduled by the high-binders for assissination. These mer-chants had refused in a public me ting to comply with the request of the Sec Yups to impose a tax of \$2 per head on all members

wour new possessions. Maj Ed. S. Bean, late of the 13th Minn, and Sheriff of St. Paul, who after peace was concluded or ganized the police force in Manila, is so templates returning there to live.

The is not a grain of superstition in the Major's make-up; and as regards the Major's make-up; and as regards the constitution of the United States Mint here in consistent the control of the United States Mint here in the constitution of the United States Mint here in the Major's make-up; and as regards the constitution of the United States Mint here in Major's make-up; and as regards the constitution of the United States Mint here in Constitution of the Co

company of cierks, now increased to six in mumber, find ourselves in the cosmopolitan city of San Francisco, where we reported to the very genial and gentlemanly head of the long, clerks. Pay Department, having relity of 5,780 tons, and accommodations for

PENSION POINTERS. Inquiries Answered and Suggestions Made.

A. H., Reader, W. Va .- You state your case, but do not say what you wish to know

safe really owned by the United States dovernment. These are the Grant, Sherman. Sheridan, Warren and Hancock. The others are chartered by the United States, and the policy now is to let firem go out of commission as fast as possible. The Logan, Mende and Thomas, companion transports, which are now en route to Manila by way of the States of the State By command of Maj r-General Shafter:

J. B. BABCOCK.

Assistant Adjutant General.

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a Spanish "nethod," and a regular seames
had been disting the boubled Cape Horn a good many
times, and during the Spanish-American
hothing but the purest Castifian should be
uttered. Some had acquired such facility
in the Hispanium tongue as to be able to
say." Beenos dies, cabalero," to the Mexican boot-black down stairs, but unfortumately with an accent that impelled that
stout young person to designate them as
Dutchmen or "Dagos."

As a preliminary to a careful study of
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Red Star Line on the Atlantic Coast, commanently helpless" provision for children,
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o original pensioned disabilities, probably you would gain nothing by an appeal to the Secretary of the Interior. Evidently the

LIMITATION OF ATTORNEYSHIP.—
In the pension case of James Rose it is held (Assistant Secretary Pavis, Oct. 31, 1899) that while an attorney's unconditional rights in a case do not extend beyond three months after the rejection of the case, yet he does not require a new power of attorney to take further action, as to appeal, after three months. If, however, the claimant appoints a new attorney, the rights of the former attorney are terminated with the expiration of the three month unless he takes further action before the appointment of the new attorney, if he deers such action till after three months

"We believe we speak the minds of the veterans in general when we express our Grand Army Post Mourns Logan's Death. "Black Eagle" Post, 129, Urbana, Ill. disappointment and our disapproval of the present administration of the Pension Office. While it is seemingly easy for men has passed resolutions expressing deer regret at the death of Maj. John A. Logan.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: Your tones and awful jumps of the tragedian the stage manager backel a table leg upon one of the visitar's feet.—H C. Kitik.

On Board the Sherman, bee, 7, 1899.

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Regular service prior to our war with Spain, and also to what branches of the service they belonged? 2. When was flogging abolished in the

3. Did the United States ever brand any soldier, Regular or volunteer, with hot 4. When was marking a deserter with

indelible ink by pricking it in the flesh abolished?—FRED. LEAVENS, Cascade Locks, Ore.
[1. The 9th and 16th U. S. Cav. and 24th and 25th U. S. Inf. were and are

24th and 25th C. S. Inf. were and are colored, with white commissioned officers.

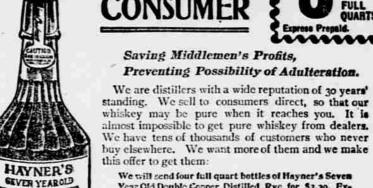
2. The act of May 16, 1812, repealed all authority for inflicting corporal punishment. The act of March 3, 1833, revived flogging as a punishment for desertion. The act of Aug. 5, 1861, repealed this.

3. The act of June 6, 1872, prohibited "branding, marking or tottooing." The act of March 3, 1873, prohibited commandants of milliary prisons from whitping or ants of military prisons from whipping or branding prisoners or making them carry heavy weights.—EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.]

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total, 425.

Army invalid (act of June 27, 1890):
Original, 529; increase, 157; additional, 66;
reissue, 16; restoration and renewal, 27;
supplementals, 1; duplicate, 25; accrued,
115; tetal, 629. this time he was accepted. 115; total, 930.

Army invalid (war with Spain): Original, 8. Army widow, etc.: Original, 62; increase and additional, 1; reissue, 1; duplicate, 6; accrued, 1; total, 71.

Army widow, etc. (act of June 27, 1890):

Original, 198; reissue, 1; restoration and renewal, 1; duplicate, 3; accrued, 3; total, 206. Army widow, etc. (war with Spain): Original, 6.
Naval invalid: Original, 1; increase and additional, 10; reissue, 2; restoration and renewal, 1; total, 14. Navy invalid (act of June 27, 1890):

Original, 15; increase and additional, 8; duplicate, 1; accrued, 1; total, 25.

Navy widow, etc.: Original, 2.

Navy widow (act of June 27, 1890): Original, 12 Original, 12.
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Indian Wars—Widows: Original, 4. Old war invalid: Accrued, 1. Mexican War—Survivors: Increase and dditional, 3; duplicate, 2; accrued, 7;

Mexican War-Widows: Original, 9. Totals: Original, 853; increase and additional, 468; reissue, 48; restoration and renewal, 61; supplemental, 1; duplicate, 59; cerued, 229. Grand total, 1.719. A Charge of Name.

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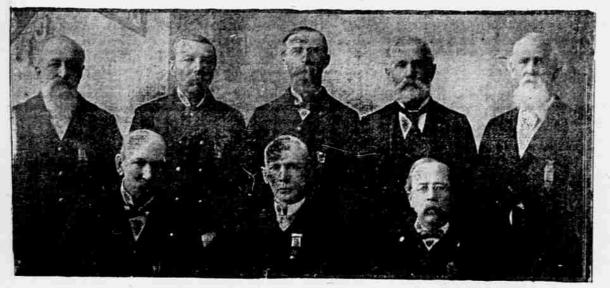
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Commander E. P. Durell enlisted at Vermont. Ill., Aug. 8, 1861, 1862, 1862, 1863, 1863, 1864, 18

passed resolutions strongly protesting against the enactment of a law requiring beennial examination of all invalid pensioners. It is believed that the object of the proposed law is to decrease the rating of veterans on the rolls. The Post protests

on the ground that these proposed exami-nations would be a physical and financial

hurden to the veterans. Post 237 asks the support of other veterans' societies in work-ing against the legislation. P. C. Soule,

Indorse Administration's War Policy.

Farragut Post, 27, Evansville, Ind., has

passed resolutions, the indersement of which is asked of every G. A. R. Post and Camp of Confederate Veterans, upholding he war policy of the present Administra

the war poncy of the present Administra-tion, and demanding that the American flag shall be maintained wherever planted. The committee drafting were Comrades Wm. Nelson, Wm. H. Keller, J. W. Comp-ton, C. C. Schreeder and Chas. H. Meyer-

MUSTERED OUT.

Rossburg, N. Y., is Adjutant.